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To: All Interested Participants

Dear Sir or Madam:

The California Air Resources Board staff will not hold the workshop for July 2001 that was informally discussed with some stakeholders. The workshop will be rescheduled for late August or early September and will provide Air Resources Board staff and stakeholders the opportunity to discuss the proposed control measure for off-road equipment employing small off-road engines. A formal announcement indicating the date, time, and location of the workshop will be sent to stakeholders at least 30 days prior to its anticipated date.

The proposed control measure would reduce hydrocarbon emissions from off-road equipment by establishing maximum allowable evaporative and permeation emission limits designed to substantially reduce engine diurnal evaporative losses and fuel tank permeation losses. The control measure is tentatively scheduled for consideration by the Air Resources Board at a public hearing in December 2001.

We encourage industry and other interested parties to contact us. If you have questions or need further assistance, please contact Mr. James Watson at (916) 327-1282 or me at (916) 327-0900. Written comments or questions should be submitted to Mr. James Watson at the address listed on the letterhead. Comments or questions may also be submitted to James Watson by e-mail at [jwatson@arb.ca.gov](mailto:jwatson@arb.ca.gov) or by FAX at (916) 322-2444.

Sincerely,

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*The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption. For a list of simple ways you can reduce demand and cut your energy costs, see our Website: <http://www.arb.ca.gov>.*

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